

Senate Bill 103

By: Senators Davenport of the 44th, Henson of the 41st, Harbison of the 15th, Anderson of the 43rd, Jones II of the 22nd and others

**AS PASSED SENATE**

**A BILL TO BE ENTITLED**

**AN ACT**

To amend Article 2 of Chapter 3 of Title 6 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to powers of local governments as to air facilities, so as to provide that airports owned, controlled, or operated by a county, municipality, or other political subdivision of this state shall designate and provide priority parking spaces for certain veterans; to provide for definitions; to provide for compliance; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

**SECTION 1.**

Article 2 of Chapter 3 of Title 6 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to powers of local governments as to air facilities, is amended by adding a new Code section to read as follows:

"6-3-29.

(a) As used in this Code section, the term:

(1) 'Disabled veteran' means any person issued a motor vehicle license plate under Code Section 40-2-68, 40-2-69, 40-2-70, 40-2-84, or 40-2-85.1 and who has such license plate on the motor vehicle that he or she is operating or is a passenger therein.

(2) 'Parking place for persons with disabilities' shall have the same meaning as set forth in Code Section 40-6-221.

(3) 'Priority parking spaces' means, within any area used for the parking of vehicles, spaces for the parking of a vehicle that are closest in proximity to a facility open to the public that is used in connection with a landing field for the use of aircraft, but that are subordinate to parking places for persons with disabilities.

(b) Every facility used in connection with landing fields for the use of aircraft that is owned, controlled, or operated by a county, municipality, or other political subdivision of this state shall designate and provide at least three priority parking spaces for disabled veterans.

27 (c) No person who is not a disabled veteran shall park his or her vehicle in such priority  
28 parking spaces provided for under this Code section."

29 **SECTION 2.**

30 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.